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in CROSSFIELD, on June 23rd & 24th, 1920.  
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CROSSFIELD, ALBERTA. THURSDAY, JUNE 17th 1920.

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Getteng your summer  
fallow done quickly means  
doing it with a 3-furrow  
plow and eight horses and  
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**William Laut,**  
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**160 ACRES---A Good Mixed Farm, 2½ miles from town, on auto road, at \$20.00 per acre.**

**320 ACRES---One mile from town, well improved, at \$40.00 per acre.**

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### Local and General

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gilfert, left Crossfield on Monday last with the intention of reaching Nebraska, by the auto route.

Mrs. A. R. Thomas, Mrs. M. Thomas and Mrs. D. Ontke were visitors to the city on Saturday last.

Mrs. Tanner of Regina, mother of Mrs. F. L. Watters is visiting at the Watters residence.

Mrs. Kelsie of Edmonton, sister to Mrs. Wm. Laut, returned to her home on Monday after spending several days in Crossfield as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Laut. Mrs. Wm. Laut accompanied her sister to Edmonton where she will spend a vacation.

Crossfield Tent Chautauqua July 26, 27, 28.

The Ladies Aid of Union Church and the Women's Guild of the Anglican Church are serving meals both days of the Fair. This is a great undertaking and the societies are asking for the assistance of all the ladies in the community.

They are asking for donations of cream, butter, bread and cake from the country ladies and the town ladies for pies, salads, pork and beans or anything else they would care to donate.

For further particulars phone Mrs. McFerry, Mrs. Willis, Mrs. McFarlane and Mrs. M. Thomas.

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION, 3rd Sunday after Trinity, June 20th U. F. A. Sunday.

8 a. m. Holy Communion.

10 a. m. Sunday School.

11 a. m. Morning Prayer and Sermon by the Rev. J. P. Dingle. A hearty invitation is given to all members of the U. F. A. and U. F. W. A. to be present.

UNION CHURCH, CROSSFIELD

Rev. R. K. Swenerton, B.A., B.D., Pastor.

Mr. S. Willis, Musical Director.

Mrs. M. Thomas, Organist.

Mr. D. A. Jeffery, Sunday School Superintendent.

Sunday School & Bible Class 2 p. m.

Preaching Service at 7.30 p. m.

Sunday, June 20th, "Farmers' Service" 3 p. m. Speaker, Mr. Buckley of Gleichen. The usual evening service at 7.30 p. m. conducted by the Pastor.

We are requested to announce that the Dog Pound U. F. A. will hold their Annual Picnic, on Friday, July 16th.

Amongst the pupils of Miss Muriel Creighton, L. A. B. of Calgary, we notice the name of Miss Harriet Burleson, of Crossfield, as having in a recent examination held by the Associated Board of the Royal Academy and Royal College of Music, passed her Intermediate and Rudiment studies.

From appearances it looks as though the Secretary-Treasurer of Rosebud Municipality will be moving into his new office in the course of a few days. Having looked the building over we are safe in stating that it is both a credit to the District it belongs, also to the builder Mr. H. Johnston of Vulcan.

## SUMMER NEEDS

### MEN'S and BOYS' WEAR

Straw Hats, Caps, Tweed Hats.

Shirts and Neck Ties,

Light Underwear,

Sox, Handkerchiefs

and SHOES.

### Fresh Fruits Groceries

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### CROSSFIELD CASH STORE

### SALES NOTES

Don't hold your sales notes until they mature. Any Branch of this Bank will advance you money on them. If you prefer, place your sales notes with us and we will collect them when due, and credit your account.

### IMPERIAL BANK OF CANADA

CROSSFIELD BRANCH,

Manager.

### CROSSFIELD DISTRICT CO-OPERATIVE ASSOCIATION U.F.A. LIMITED.

### CAR LOAD OF PURITY FLOUR BRAN and SHORTS ON TRACK

Will be sold at a  
SPECIAL PRICE  
For the first week.



**Notice to the Public****Our NEW BRICK GARAGE**

Is complete, and we are now

**READY FOR BUSINESS**FOR ANY KIND OF CAR TROUBLE GIVE  
US A TRIAL  
OUR WORK IS GUARANTEED**Batteries Re-charged, Repaired and  
Re-built**

Our Garage is Fireproof, Why take a Chance.

**HAVENS' GARAGE,**

Phone 53      CROSSFIELD.

**W. BRADFORD**Has taken over the Harness Repairing Business lately  
conducted by Mr. Wm. Laut, and will  
carry on a**Boot and Shoe Repairing Business****Harness and Harness Repairing**

A TRIAL SOLICITED.      Crossfield, Alberta.

**Crossfield BILLIARD HALL  
AND BARBER SHOP**

The above is now under new management, having been purchased by

Mr. W. POGUE,  
of Calgary.

Your Patronage is Solicited.

A Trial is all I ask.

**Farmers Repair  
Shop**Special Attention Given to  
BLACKSMITHING.  
PRICES RIGHT

ALEX JESSIMAN, - Prop

**For Sale**FOR SALE:- 20 gallons of steam engine  
oil, will sell cheap.F. W. Thiede,  
Sampson, Alta.For Sale.—A large quantity of Potatoes  
to be sold at Market price. Apply W.  
Walorth. Phone 1404, Crossfield.To be Sold.—Extension Dining  
Table, 8 feet; Dining-room Chairs;  
Refrigerator. Address P.O. Box 43,  
Crossfield.For Sale.—16 foot Binder (new  
canvases), 16 in. Sulky Plow, 7 ft.  
Disc Drill. Phone 32, Crossfield.WANTED:-15 to 25 young pigs,  
6 to 8 weeks old.

Fred Warneke.

**LAFFERTY and  
GILLESPIE,****Barristers & Solicitors,**

3, Alberta Block,

**CALGARY.**LOST:- On May 22nd, a Dark  
Brown Buggy Robe, between Davis  
Corner and the Blind line, or on  
Blind line. Finder please return to  
Wm. Brandon or Chronicle Office.**Pound Notice**TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:  
Notice is hereby given that by virtue of  
power granted under Section 208 of "The  
Land Act," and of By-Law  
No. 12 of the Municipal District No. 12  
of Alberta, Rosebud No. 262, Dated January  
16th, 1920. One light Bay Horse, 2 white  
feet, aged, weight about 1500  
lbs. aged. Branded on left ear  
One Sorrel Horse, white spot in face  
2 white hind feet, weight about 1500  
lbs. aged. One Black Horse, one white  
hind foot, white spot in face, weight about  
1600 lbs. aged. No visible brand, was  
marked with a small "X" kept by the  
undersigned on the N.E. 1/4 of 2d Tp.  
28, Rge. 28, West of the 4th Meridian,  
on the 1st day of June, 1920.

June 10th, 1920.

J. L. McRory,  
Poundkeeper,  
P.O. Crossfield, Box 226.**Crossfield Chronicle**

RATES

Business locals 10 cents per line first  
insertion; and 5 cents per line each sub-  
sequent insertion.SUBSCRIPTION PRICE, \$1.50 per year in  
advance, or \$1.25 if not paid in advance.Postmaster, at the Chronicle office, at  
Crossfield, Alberta, each Friday.Legal advertisements, 12 cents per line  
for first insertion; and 8 cents each sub-  
sequent insertion.

ROBERT WHITFIELD,

PRINTER AND PUBLISHER.

CROSSFIELD, ALBERTA, JUNE 17, 1920

**I. O. O. F. Memorial Service**Crossfield Lodge No. 42 will hold the  
Annual Memorial Service in their Hall, on Sunday, June 27th,  
at 2:30 p.m., and afterwards proceed to the cemetery to decorate the  
graves of departed Brothers. All  
Oddfellows and Rebekahs in the dis-  
trict are earnestly requested to attend.

U. F. A. Sunday, June 20.

The service will be held at Union  
Church 3. p.m. Speaker, Mr.  
Buckley of Gleichen.**BASEBALL**Crossfield journeyed to Airdrie on  
Friday last and jumped all over the  
Airdrie team, to the tune of 17-4.At time and space is limited we  
cannot go into details of the game  
but the chief features were home  
runs by Casey and Ballam with bases  
full.Skinner had the Airdrie boys at  
his mercy at all stages of the game,  
only one real hit was made off  
his slants which was a clean home  
run-by Parish, too bad Airdrie have  
not a few more like him in their  
line-up.Crossfield met Airdrie in a return  
game on Tuesday evening on the  
local diamond, it is necessary to re-  
peat that it would take up too much  
space to report fully on the game.  
However we would not be doing  
justice were we not to mention one  
or two features. Motter as a pitcher  
is certainly great stuff, the only  
reason he didn't put them over any  
faster was because he could not,  
Airdrie batters to our way of thinking  
missed his twirls simply because  
they could see them coming and  
generally struck at them after they  
had reached Ableman's mitt. Facts  
speak louder than words and Motter  
struck out 16 batters, only allowing  
a very few wild hits in all 9 innings.  
Bills and Ableman also showed up  
in fine style. Pinnow also landing on  
the pill to good advantage. Cross-  
field are fortunate in having a good  
string of ball players to pick from  
this season. The result of the game  
was 12-3 in favor of Crossfield.Crossfield vs Cartairs at Crossfield  
Friday, June 18th.IN THE ESTATE of Ernest Henry Bear,  
late of Crossfield, Alberta, Farmer,  
deceased.NOTICE is hereby given that all per-  
sons having claims upon the Estate of thesaid Ernest Henry Bear, who died on the  
7th April, 1919, are required to file with the  
undersigned solicitor for the Adminis-  
trator of his estate by August 21st, 1920,  
a full statement duly verified, of theirclaims, and of any securities held by  
them, and that after that date the Ad-  
ministrator will distribute the assets ofthe deceased among the parties entitled  
thereto having regard only to the claims  
of which notice has been filed, or which

have been brought to his knowledge.

DATED 25th May, 1920.

J. J. McDonald.

Room 8 Cameron Block, Calgary.

WANTED:- About fifty head of stock  
to pasture, good grass and water. \$1.50  
per head per month.

Apply to A. W. Smith,

Crossfield.

Notice.—For Hay Land & Pasture,  
apply Crossfield Chronicle Office.**NOTICE**Cattle Branded JS on right  
shoulder

Please notify,

H. Scholefield.

**HAIL INSURANCE!****FARMERS Insure your crops**

Against Hail.

**SATISFY YOURSELF**

with the reputation and financial strength of

the company before placing your

insurance.

AGENT FOR THE

**Home Insurance Co., of New York,**

And for the

**Canada Security, an all Canadian**

Company.

Cash or note settlements accepted.

**CANADIAN  
PACIFIC****CHANGE IN TRAIN SERVICE**

Effective Sunday, May 2nd, 1920

TRANS-CANADA LIMITED, all  
Standard Sleeping Cars, Trains 7 and 8,  
between Montreal, Toronto and Vancouver,  
will be resumed first train from Mon-  
treal and Vancouver May 2nd.

Times for trains at

CROSSFIELD will be

NORTHBOUND

X No. 521 9.05 a.m.

X No. 522 3.32 p.m.

No. 523 1.10 a.m.

SOUTHBOUND

No. 522 1.17 p.m.

X No. 524 6.33 p.m.

No. 525 6.29 a.m.

X Daily except Sunday. No. 525 stop  
for passengers to detrain only.SOO-EXPRESS EXPRESS, Trains 13  
and 14, between St. Paul and Vancouver  
will be resumed first train from St. Paul,  
May 29th, first train from Vancouver,  
May 30th, 1920.For further particulars apply to any  
Ticket Agent.J. E. PROCTER  
District Passenger Agent,  
Calgary.**NOTICE**

Cattle Brand TX left hip.

Both ears cut off with wire in stub.  
Horse Brand TX left stifle or thigh

Thomas Amery.

Rapayards invited to be present at  
these meetings.All matters of business pertaining to  
at this district will be attended to at this  
meeting.The office of the Sec.-Treas. is in the  
Crossfield Drug Store.A. W. GORDON, Chairman.  
Merrick Thomas, Sec.-Treas.**Council Meetings**The council of the Village of Crossfield  
will meet in the Office of the Secretary  
Treasurer on the first Monday of each  
month, commencing with February at  
the hour of 8:30 o'clock p.m.

By Order of the Village Council.

54-82.      W. McRory, Sec.-Treas.

CROSSFIELD LODGE I. O. O. P.

No. 42

Meet Every Wednesday Night in the  
Oldfield Hall at 8 p.m.

Visiting Brothers are welcome.

E. F. BROWN, N. G.  
S. WILLIS, Rec. Secy.  
A. JESSIMAN, Fin. Sec.**EASTMAN KOAKS,  
FILMS,  
VELOX PAPER and  
POST CARDS.**

Developing Tanks, Trays, &amp;c.

**\$250.00 REWARD  
WILL BE PAID  
FOR INFORMATION**That will lead to conviction of anyone  
criminally taking or disposing of any

Cattle or Horses owned by undersigned.

Brand FT      Horses Left Thigh.

Ear-mark square crook each ear, with wire  
in stub. Registered horse branded and  
numbers right side of neck.

G. F. STOOKE.

**IVOR LEWIS,**Wishes to inform his friends, old customers and the general  
public that he can supply them with the famous**GALT COAL****Hard Coal and Briquettes**

ORDERS SOLICITED.

**J. L. McRory.****SHEET****Metal Works**

CROSSFIELD, Alberta.

**INSURANCE****HAIL & FIRE**

Canadian Indemnity Co.

**Security & Service**F. Goodsell,  
Local Agent.



# Discuss Value of Good Roads as An Aid to Agriculture

Winnipeg.—The value of good roads as an aid to agriculture, as a factor in the development of the country, and as an inducement to tourist traffic, were some of the topics, apart from the professional and technical uses that were discussed at the two sessions of the Canadian good roads convention here.

Hon. E. C. Biggs, minister of public works, Ontario, declaring that the best way to increase production was to keep the boys on the farms, said that they had come to realize in the eastern province that they must have improved roads for bringing the boys to the consolidated schools and continuation schools; they were providing so that the children on the farms would not have to travel to the towns to obtain the education required to fit them for their life's work.

Herbert Cuthbert, executive secretary of the Pacific Northwest Tourist association, asserted that one million dollars would be spent in Canada each year by American tourists if the Dominion possessed a national highway.

J. A. P. Sandles, secretary of the National Road Stone Association, of Columbus, Ohio, asserted that there had been a reaction on the rates on road building and Mr. Biggs, commenting on these freight charges, observed that he could see no reason or common sense on the part of the Dominion government, if after giving a grant to improve roads construction they would permit the railways to increase the freight rate on stone.

## Japan Suspects Plot

Negotiations for Buffer Siberian State Are All Off

Honolulu.—Japan has broken off negotiations with the Russian Bolsheviks for the formation of a buffer state in Siberia, according to a Tokio cable to the Nippon Jiji, a Japanese newspaper here.

The break in negotiations came about as a result of Japan's discovery of a plot to undermine General Semenoff, commander of the all-Russian forces in Siberia and bring the Balkal region under the Bolsheviks, the cable stated.

## Safeguard Interests in Persia

London.—In reply to a question in the house of commons regarding the Bolshevik activity in Persia, Cecil B. Harmsworth, under-secretary for foreign affairs, said the Persian minister in London had been in constant touch with the British foreign office, and a complete understanding had been reached that both Persian and British interests would be safeguarded.

## She Says She Can Now Do Her Work

MRS. M. MAGNANT GIVES THE CREDIT TO DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

Her Back Ached and She was Always Tired, But She Said She Found The Relief She Longed For In Dodd's Kidney Pills. — [Special] Sent in by Mrs. M. Magnant, Jan. 7th. — [Special]

— "Thanks to Dodd's Kidney Pills I can now do my work." So says Mrs. M. Magnant, a well known and highly respected resident of this place. Mrs. Magnant was a sufferer from rheumatism, weakness, so many women know.

"My back ached," she says, "and I felt so tired at the end of the day. But use Dodd's Kidney Pills. I have persevered with them, taking sixteen boxes in all, with the result given in the glad words of the opening paragraph."

Other women in all parts of Canada make the same statement. They were weighed down with weariness, weakness and pain, and found relief through the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills. For sick kidneys are the cause of the great majority of the ills from which women suffer. To treat them the kidneys must be strengthened so that they will strain all the impurities out of the blood.

Ask your neighbors if Dodd's Kidney Pills do not help sick kidneys.

## Budget in Committee

Luxury Tax Will Likely be Subjected To Some Changes

Ottawa.—The formal budget debate out of the way, consideration of the budget resolution in committee will open with the least possible delay. Here, in all probability, discussion will be protracted, covering possibly a week or so. Provisions made in regard to income tax and business profits tax are expected to go through without a doubt.

The luxury taxes will be subjected to some changes, particularly with a view to making their administration more workable. Since the budget was brought down the minister of finance has been in constant receipt of representations with regard to the luxury taxes and the sales tax. Important points have been brought up and notice will no doubt be taken of some of the suggestions. In addition to any amendment which the finance minister may propose, it is likely that a number will be submitted by members of the opposition.

## Some Profit in Clothing

Farmer Sold Wool For Fifty Suits and Got One With the Price

Toronto.—The Globe published the following despatch from Hickman, Ky.:

Roy Shaw, a well-known farmer living near Hickman, took 200 pounds of wool to Hickman the other day, which he sold for 30 cents a pound, or for \$60.00. Then he purchased a suit of clothes for his son, and found that the money he received for the wool was just enough to pay for the suit. He says there are about four pounds of wool in a suit of clothes, and on that basis the wool he sold will make fifty suits, which is sold at \$60 a suit, would bring the seller \$3,600.00. Allowing one-half for labor and other materials going into the suit, somebody will get a return of \$1,500 on a \$60 investment, he figures.

## Respect Wishes of Canada

Do Not Consider it Advisable to Publish Correspondence

London.—In the house of commons recently the colonial under-secretary of state said it had been agreed by the British and Canadian governments that it would be inadvisable to publish at present the correspondence regarding the appointment of a Canadian representative at Washington.

Percy Hurd and Sir Richard Coopers determined somewhat at this answer but Andrew Bonar Law said that the British government must consider also the desires of the Canadian government in such matters.

## Rain Ends Forest Fires

St. John, N. B.—Heavy rain in Northern New Brunswick and other districts put an end to the menace of many fires. Two new fires were reported near Newcastle, and another on the southwest Mirimichi, but they are under control. Situation in Victoria and Madawaska counties is much improved. The fire at Glencoe on the Fredericton and Grand Trunk railway in Sunbury county, has burned about 1,200 acres.

## Yukon Free of Ice

Dawson, Y. T.—The Yukon River is now entirely free from ice from Lake Labarge northward. Advice from interior Alaska say all restrictions there against travel because of influenza, are being lifted as there have been no new cases in the last 13 days. The first arrivals from Mayo Camp bring highly favorable reports of silver prospects in the Keno Hill district.

## Continue Wheat Standards in U.S.

Reduction Urged Would Decrease Returns to Farmers

Washington.—Continuation of the present federal wheat standards was decided upon by Secretary Meredith in an opinion covering hearings held to inquire into dissatisfaction in the central northwest with existing grades for hard red spring and Durum wheat. Request for lowering the present standards, the secretary announced, would tend to decrease the return to farmers while advocates of the change argued that more money for his wheat would receive more money for his wheat.

The federal standards established in 1913 and revived in 1918 have been operative only under fixed price and war conditions, the secretary stated, adding that opportunity for fair tests of their merits or defects have now been afforded under normal marketing conditions.

## Bid Sir Thos. Lipton Good Luck

Starts For America in Quest of the Cup With His Boat Shamrock IV.

London.—Crowds of people were at the station to wish Sir Thomas Lipton bon voyage and good luck in his quest for the American cup, with his boat Shamrock IV, against either the Resolute or the Vanite, Dowager Queen Alexandra, in expressing her hopes that Sir Thomas would win with the Shamrock IV, said: "Certainly I am confident, but I am glad I am not too sure, for then there would be no sport for anyone."

## No Military Compulsion

Signing of Peace Treaty Has Rescinded Conscription In Germany

Berlin.—It is semi-officially announced that no law will be enacted abolishing compulsory military service which is demanded by the peace treaty, because the national assembly's acceptance of the treaty automatically rescinds the former compulsory resolutions. This objection has been raised in view of the allegations that Germany is not carrying out the provisions of the treaty.

It is also announced that the minister of defence will issue a decree forbidding discharged soldiers to carry service rifles and hand grenades. This order is believed to be issued according to reports, thousands of discharged men all over the country are in possession of their full army outfits. A few days ago the police seized, near Hanover, 194 hidden rifles and 190 swords and 10,000 cartridges.

## Geddes Given Honorary Degree

—Washington.—George Washington university, at its ninety-ninth annual commencement exercises conferred the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws on Sir Auckland Geddes, ambassador to the United States. Ambassador Geddes delivered the commencement address.

## SNUFFS OUT A COLD IN A FEW MOMENTS

Clears The Nostrils, Stops Sneezing Heals the Throat Quickly

## Cataractoozine Wonders

Lots of people used to let their colds "work off"—they suffered a whole lot, sneezed around the house, and the whole family finally caught the infection.

Nowadays colds are cured by Cataractoozine before they really get a hold of you. It is a liniment containing a mixture of pure essences gives instant relief. It fills the breathing organs with a healing, soothing vapor that relieves irritation at once. Ordinarily colds are cured in ten minutes. Absolutely sure for Cataract, and in throat trouble it works like a charm. Cataractoozine is a permanent cure for colds, sore throat, and throat trouble.

Not an experiment—but a cure that's guaranteed. Get "Cataractoozine" today, and beware of substitutes. The dollar outfit is guaranteed, and small size 50¢; trial size 25¢, at all dealers.

W. N. U. 1319

## Want Government To Control Wheat For Another Year

### The Newsprint Situation

Sir Henry Drayton Tells Manufacturers Government Will Insist On Domestic Supply

Ottawa.—The conference with the newsprint manufacturers announced in the house took place in the finance minister's office. Sir Henry Drayton told the manufacturers that the government was much disturbed to find that, knowing the agreements made in fall, twenty-five percent of the daily newspapers in Canada were facing the prospect of suspension owing to inability to secure supplies, although willing to pay current prices for export to foreign countries. He said the government would insist upon the domestic requirements being supplied as they represent only 15 percent of the total production.

The situation is still regarded as very serious. The publishers are emphasizing the point that the total amount of newsprint necessary to the continued existence of the 26 daily newspapers affected represents less than two percent of the exports of newsprint and that they ask for no favors regarding price.

The publishers state that the great majority of the mills are, keeping their Canadian customers supplied, and that the present crisis has been caused by the attitude of a very small minority.

The Hearst newspapers also had a representative in Ottawa intervening in the government regarding newsprint supplies. It is said that the consumption of newsprint of the Hearst papers is 200,000 tons, a substantial portion of which is made in Canada.

## Will Open Office in London

Cabinet Grants Permission to "Soviet Government"

London.—As the first result of the meeting of Gregory Kassin, Russian Bolshevik minister of trade and commerce, with Premier Lloyd George and members of the British cabinet, the soviet government, according to the Evening Standard, has been granted permission to open immediately a central trading office in London. At this office, the newspaper says, endeavor will be made to organize an exchange of goods with British traders.

## Troops Are Gathering

Sensational Reports of Concentration Of Bavarian Forces Comes From Potsdam

Berlin.—The Tagblatt publishes under reserve sensational reports of the concentration of Bavarian troops in the neighborhood of Potsdam, and that Prince August Wilhelm, of Prussia, son of the former emperor, is playing a prominent part in the movement. It also publishes a rumor that the authorities intend in future to arrest all pacifists and a number of prominent Leftists.

**Shortage of Laborers in West**

Calgary, Alta.—That the west could absorb at least 20,000 men for railway construction, farm work and mining, was the statement made by Grant Hall, vice-president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, in the course of an interview here.

D. C. Coleman, vice-president of western lines, who was also present, confirmed this great shortage. They stated that there was a scarcity of unskilled labor in the east today, also, but not to the same extent as in western Canada.

## Chief of Police

St. Paul, Minn.—Thomas E. Campbell, for three years chief special agent in the Minnesota bureau of investigation, department of justice, has accepted the post of chief of police in St. Paul, effective June 6.

Winnipeg.—Asserting that the Canadian Wheat Board cannot exercise control over the 1920 crop unless its authority is renewed at the present session of parliament, the executive committee of the Canadian Council of Agriculture telegraphed the Dominion government, urging that steps be taken to have government control of the wheat crop for at least another year.

The resolution as forwarded to Ottawa, recalls a resolution of the council of agriculture adopted last January favoring government control of the wheat crop of 1920-21, pointing out that "controlled buying should be discontinued on the part of overseas importers of Canadian wheat," points out that the conventions of Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba organized farmers subsequently approved of this resolution and asserts that "there is no indication of the lifting of government control of buying for foreign export, as to affect the marketing of the next crop." The resolution continues, "Whereas the present Canadian Wheat Board exists under and in virtue of the provisions of the War Measures Act and cannot exercise its power over wheat grown in Canada in 1920 unless its existence is continued for another year by an act of parliament at the present session;"

"Therefore the Canadian Council of Agriculture would strongly urge the government, before the expiration of the parliament, to take the necessary steps to have the powers of the Canadian Wheat Board continued for at least another year."

## The Death Warrant Delivered

No defence can be offered when you apply Putnam's to a sore corn or offend it. It cures it quickly, cuts corns as Putnam's Corn and Wart Extract; try Putnam's, it's free from acids, and painless. 25¢ bottles sold by all dealers.

## Weather Aids Wheat Crop

Brandon.—The rains and cold weather of the past few days have been of immense benefit to the crop in the Brandon district. One day ago, due to the dust storms, many fields looked brown and bare. Today everything is green and the roots of the wheat are driving deep down in the earth, making for a vigorous and sturdy growth and a promise of ability to withstand drought, should there be one at a later date.

## Nechako Valley, B.C.

The Richest Mixed Farming District in British Columbia.

## Prices \$16 to \$20 an acre Payments spread over ten years

### VANDERHOOF

is the business centre and principal town of the Nechozo Valley.

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Write for pamphlet, map and landsecker rates

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WINNIPEG - - MAN.  
And Vanderhoof, B. C.

# Agricultural Industry Must be Encouraged Says Dr. Robertson

Dr. J. W. Robertson, C.M.G., has recently returned to Ottawa from a tour of the Dominion, on which he was sent by the government in order to place before the people of the country the present economic conditions and the great need there is for carefulness and economy.

Dr. Robertson, who speaks with authority, having but recently returned from overseas where he went to investigate after-war food problems, was recently interviewed in regard to his dominion-wide tour. He remarked that people were impatient of explanations of present conditions; what they wanted was an immediate remedy, but the consequences of four years of losses occasioned by the war and the destruction and waste could not be remedied in a twinkling. There was little use in looking for an immediate remedy for the present high cost of living owing to the fact that the world's production of foodstuffs was not nearly equal to the demand. There was great need for increased production before any decline in prices could be looked for. Farmers would continue to receive high prices for their products for the next two years.

Dr. Robertson contended that world conditions would have to be taken into consideration when the

broad question of food supplies was being considered, and the policies of Europe would have much to do for at least the next two years with what was likely to happen to Canada's wheat crops. The allied governments had guaranteed minimum prices, the conclusion being that they wished to encourage in every possible way the industry of agriculture.

Speaking of retrenchment, Dr. Robertson said he thought it would be a great mistake to economize in regard to education or agriculture; on both these questions the government must spend generously and courageously, adding that "as to the individual as well as the nation there is only one safe course to follow, to work diligently with intelligence, to live economically and to waste nothing."

Regarding Canada's financial position, Dr. Robertson said that to enable the country to maintain its stable conditions of prosperity and to pay her debts, they must rely on the improvement of agriculture and the further development of her natural resources and industries. Further than that, in order to hold her place in the world's markets her people would have to be well informed, as well trained and as well organized as others.

## The Original Clocks

### Sand Glass Used in Rome Many Centuries Ago

Housetops in these days very commonly used glasses of the familiar hour-glass pattern for timing boiled soups. They were employed for the same purpose in many restaurants and hotel kitchens.

The contrivance is, of course, quite ancient, dating back to the middle ages. In much later times, and not so very long ago, it was utilized for timing prayers and sermons. Even nowadays there is an occasional old-fashioned church that keeps a "pray-er-glass" on the pulpit.

As one might imagine, such glasses were not beyond criticism in point of accuracy. Four of them were carefully tested recently by the writer. One, supposed to mark an even hour, took sixty-seven minutes to run out—a serious error for the congregation if the sermon was dry. Another for three-quarters of an hour, registered only 42 minutes. The remaining two were, respectively, underlined and overlined two minutes.

The sand glass, in European countries, replaced the yet more antiquated "time candle," which was marked off in sections of an hour. As a time-keeper, the candle is exceedingly ancient; it was so employed in Rome before Christ was born, and very likely by the Egyptians and Babylonians in much earlier days. Courting by length of candle was an old-fashioned custom in England.

An equivalent method of time-keeping is even now practised by the Chinese, who employ, instead of a candle, a length of joss stick—the same thing that small boys use as "punk" for setting off fire-crackers. It is made of sawdust, mixed with a little glue and rolled into cylinders of a measured diameter. Such a stick two feet long, and a day being considered, will burn about fifteen hours.

Passengers in China, having but short periods to sleep, make sure of waking by placing a lighted piece of joss-stick between their toes. This acts most effectively at the proper moment. Doubtless it was the first and original alarm clock.

### Regina Fox Farm

A Regina black fox farm has established a record with 35 pairs felling 90,000 9 inches long, 10-year-old fox skins 8 pairs, which is one above the previous western record held by a black fox farm at Winnipeg. The manager of the farm claims that each pair is worth one thousand dollars.

### General Sykes Flies to Paris

### Acropolis Was Equipped With Wireless Telephonic Installation

Major-General Sir F. K. Sykes, K.B.E., K.C.B., C.M.G., Controller-General of Civil Aviation, recently flew to Paris by aeroplane in order to consult with the French civil aviation authorities, travelling by the ordinary daily Airco machine together with two of his staff. The aeroplane was equipped with a wireless telephonic installation fitted by the Marconi Company, and the opportunity was taken to carry out experiments in wireless telephonic communication with aeroplanes en route on both sides of the Channel.

The arrival of the party at Le Bourget Aerodrome, Paris, was due to the air ministry by wireless. During the passage good telephonic communication was kept up with Croydon immediately after leaving, with a receiving station from Middleham, and finally with Le Bourget on approaching Beauvais. The result showed the value of the system both for purposes of keeping in touch with aeroplanes from the ground, and for warning pilots of the weather conditions ahead of them.

### The Crime Wave

### Human Life Has Become Cheapest Thing on Earth

Week by week the news echoes with the accounts of gruesome tragedies. Crime generally is taking violent forms—the thief to obtain his end does not hesitate to kill; jealousy expresses itself in murder. On one hand there is a reckless disregard of human life. Is it the aftermath of war that we are reaping? For five long years over half the world hunted man to kill or to be killed. Human life, under normal conditions was priceless and protected, became the cheapest thing on earth and the least respected. But the period of war's madness ended long ago. If it is time we recovered our senses, time we re-established the moral standards of civilized existence, time we rated human life again at its proper value. Violence of any kind must be sternly put down, and crimes with violence must receive punishment fitting the offence. The cat or the scold—and no pandering to sentimentality!—The London Daily Express.

### Western Wool Crop

The wool crop of the western provinces based on last year's production is as follows: Manitoba, 300,000 lbs.; Saskatchewan, 800,000 lbs.; Alberta, 2,120,000 lbs.; and British Columbia, 200,000 lbs.

## Silos For Sunflowers

### Sunflowers For Silos Prove to be Unqualified Success

A company has been formed, with headquarters at Prince Albert, Sask., for the construction of silos. From the name of the company—the Sunflower Silage Company—it can be inferred that farmers in the district are greatly interested in this crop and it is believed that there will be a great impetus to the production in Northern Saskatchewan of what is proving to be one of the most prolific fodder plants known.

The Prince Albert district is among the first to put into practical use the results which have been learned on the experimental farms of western Canada and the United States with reference to the growing of sunflowers for storage purposes. The use of sunflowers as a winter feed is well known and has without doubt contributed largely to the great prosperity and the high prices of lands which exist today. The more northerly regions of Montana, Saskatchewan and Alberta have long felt the necessity for some cheap green winter fodder, and it has been with this object in view that the experimental stations at Bozeman, Montana, Saskatoon, Edmonton and the Canadian Pacific railway lands department at Strathmore, Alberta, have been carrying on experiments and feeding tests with sunflower silage.

The growing of sunflowers for this purpose has proved an unqualified success, the yield of sunflowers greatly exceeding the tonnage of corn. In 1919, at Strathmore, Alberta, the sunflower crop made a growth of 100 tons per acre, while 94.6 tons to the acre, in comparison with 14 tons of corn, and 7 tons of oats and oats, all grown under the same conditions. Reports from Montana give yields with an average rainfall from 20 to 30 tons per acre. Last winter at Scott, Sask., the ration showed a profit of about \$10 per head more than those fed under similar conditions without sunflower silage.

In the Prince Albert district a number of prominent farmers have already received seed for putting in a sunflower crop this year. Among them being J. M. Paul, of Macdonald; Mr. Swaby, of Collection; the Hawking Dairy Company; Mr. Nugent, of Steep Creek; M. R. Cowell and the Boyd Ranch of Red Deer Hill. At the growing of this healthy food plant, let us place the stock-in-trade of the nation on a broader basis, as well as being insurance against feed shortage, it is expected that the farmers of this province will be quick to accept and utilize the valuable knowledge of this crop.

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### Ex-Kaiser Missed His Vocation

### Imperial Exile Makes His Own Clothes and Makes Them Well

William Hohenzollern, former emperor of Germany, is trying his hand as a tailor, according to a Central News despatch from Amsterdam. He is cutting out patterns for many new suits with which he is going to stock his wardrobe, and the despotic emperor is a trade paper as declaring he is "executing at the job."

"How unfortunate it is," says this paper, "that William missed his vocation. After all the notoriety he has achieved as an emperor, one can imagine what would have been his fate as a tailor."

### High Wheat Prices may Double Land Value

High wheat prices will cause farm values to double in western Canada, according to land men, and this will result in the biggest immigration the west has ever known.

"There always comes a 'rising market,'" they say, "and news of increasing land values is really the only effective kind of publicity." A spirit of optimism, based upon present price and crop prospects, pervades the entire real estate business.

### Medicine Hat Gas

From November, 1918 to November, 1919, a total of 2,500,658,000 cubic feet of gas was consumed in the city, of which 635,012,000 cubic feet was utilized industrially and 1,874,646,000 in domestic consumption.

## Work Done by Women On the Farm Has Not Been Appreciated

Some curious discoveries are being made as a result of the new place women are taking in the world of business and politics; one of the most amazing being the fact that the census enumerators of the United States designate farm women as having no occupation.

This latter is ably discussed in the North American, of Philadelphia, as follows:

"The farmer's wife of Philadelphia, as you may say, 'The farmer's wife is a human factor of the highest importance to the nation. In addition to the work she does, she bears more than half the children which keeps the world supplied with men and women. And she performs this service under conditions which, in many instances, should be changed by law if there is no other way to bring people to their senses. She works from daylight to dark without the thought of pay. She cooks, scrubs, washes, irons, sweeps, sews, helps to plant and harvest, cans and preserves, cares for her own and her neighbors sick and never has time for rest or recreation. She is the unpaid servant of the nation. Yet no one has ever thought of her in terms of cash. She has no salary, no definite income, no fixed allowance by either written or unwritten law. She works from the day she marries to the day she dies; often without a realization in dollars, and eats a single dream of her life. All that she does for the sake of getting through the day she goes to bed at night assured of just one thing—that it all must be done over again tomorrow. What she cooked today is eaten by night. What she washed and ironed is ready for the tub again by the end of the week."

Mrs. Phoebe V. Warner, in a recent issue of the "Banker-Farmer," says: "I asked a young man to sit down some night with his mother and she made a financial estimate on the work she had done during the thirty years of her married life and then compare it with the present value of real estate. There have been eight children in the home and I have never known the mother to have any help except the children. In a few days I received this report, which roughly estimated I find to be the record of 30 years of mother's work:

235,425 meals served at 15 cents . . . . .	\$31,313.75
3,190 garments made at 15 cents . . . . .	1,595.00
<b>Total . . . . .</b>	<b>\$31,908.75</b>

"I tried this test in another home where the mother had died and left a family of twelve members to be cared for by an eighteen-year-old daughter and I found that the work this daughter and the other children did amounted to \$2,540 annually.

"Of course the financial basis for this calculation seem absurdly inadequate in these times of inflated values. Eggs at 15 cents per dozen; butter at 20 cents per pound; milk at 10 cents per gallon; pies at ten cents each and sweeping, scrubbing and washing at 10 cents per hour read like a fairy tale.

"If the farm women of America can pile up cash values equally the total land valuation of our country, while engaged in 'no occupation,' think what they might do for us and others if given a fair chance to occupy themselves at something better than ignored drudges; if counted, as they should be, amongst the greatest producers of the best kind of wealth."

### Merchants Hit by Paper Shortage

#### Paper Shortage

#### Shortage of Paper Bags Is Now Reported

Ottawa.—There is a great shortage of paper bags at the present time due to the scarcity of white paper, and the demand for them will for some time to come be much in excess of the available supply.

"We are sixty to seventy million bags behind in our orders," said an official of the Continental Bag and Paper Co., Ltd., "and we are certainly tied up for want of material."

This company has found it impossible to secure sufficient paper to keep the machines running. The company makes paper and is in receipt of hundreds of orders that cannot be filled.

Grocers and other merchants who require wrapping paper and bags will be soon without any stock unless some unexpected source of supplies appears.

### Changed Aspects Of An Old Friend

#### Hard to Get Used to a Dollar That Is Worth Only Fifty Cents

It is hard to get used to a dollar that is worth only about fifty cents. Association and sentiment combine to persuade us that it is still a dollar and ought to buy a dollar's worth. When it takes two of them to do that our thrift is offended.

There is nothing for it but to get over that and see the inflated dollar as it is and let it go for what it is worth. If it can't buy what we need the simplest remedy is to send others to help it, if we have them. Otherwise, postpone the need.

The most tempting use to put dollars to is to pay off debts incurred when they were still dollars. That is about the only way to be a before-the-war dollar's worth for a current dollar. Life, New York.

### American Land Seekers

Dealers in western lands have estimated that 40,000 land seekers, 35,000 of whom will become settlers, will come from the United States in the next three months. An invasion of 10,000 monthly for May, June, July and August is figured on from inquiries on hand and excursion arrangements made.

### Saskatchewan's Building Program

It is estimated that there will be twenty million dollars worth of new buildings erected in Saskatchewan this year and that Regina will account for five millions of this amount.

## When You Get

"Fired as a dog"  
and sleep is full of  
ugly dreams you need

## BEECHAM'S PILLS

Fatigue is the result of poisons produced by exercise or failure to digest food properly, and eliminate it promptly with the aid of liver and kidneys.



Worth a Guinea a Box

## Vanderhoof Has A Future

### Bright Prospects Ahead of the Nechako Valley District

A thriving British Columbia town that has a very bright future before it is Vanderhoof. Situated in the Necho Valley on the Grand Trunk Pacific railway, midway between Edmonton and Prince Rupert, it is the centre of a fine agricultural district, eminently suitable for mixed farming. The soil in the Vanderhoof district is almost inexhaustible and is easy to clear. The land in the Necho Valley produces wonderful crops of grain and timothy hay, as well as vegetables. Settlers are fast filling up the country, and the Soldiers' Settlement Board has placed a number of returned men on the land. The government is establishing a creamery at Vanderhoof, and undoubtedly it will become the centre of a great dairying district. Much of the land is suitable for steam plowing and the timbered area furnishes good shelter for stock. Sheep raising and mixed farming generally will prove very profitable.

There is fine fishing and good hunting close at hand, mineral wealth in the district, and a pleasant and mild climate.

## Alfalfa Cultivators

### Proper Methods to Follow in Order To Ensure Success

Alfalfa may be sown with a nurse crop in parts with a good rainfall if the seeding down is done on land that is not more than one crop from having been summerfallowed. A light seeding of about a bushel of barley or a bushel and a peck of oats per acre is heavy enough seeding for a nurse crop. In the dry sections of the provinces and on land that has not been summerfallowed recently in the wetter sections, seeding without a nurse crop will give better results. When seeding with a nurse crop the alfalfa should be sown at the same time as the nurse crop. When seeding alfalfa alone, the land, if in summerfallow or hoed crop the previous year, should be top worked until about the first of June and may then be seeded. Stubble should be fall plowed and top worked in the spring until June and then seeded. Fifteen pounds per acre is the usual rate of seeding.

Northern grown alfalfa seed of the Grimm, Turkstan or Baltic varieties must be used, Grimm being harder than either of the other two. Before sowing the land or the seed must be inoculated with alfalfa nito culture unless the land has grown alfalfa or sweet clover previously. Of the two methods, inoculation of the seed is usually easier, and gives good results. If these two precautions are taken, the first steps necessary to success are assured.—N. D. McKenzie, Sup't Indian Head Experimental Farm.

## Lift off Corns!

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With your fingers! You can lift off any hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the heel skin easily from bone or feet. A tiny bottle of "Freezone" costs little at any drug store; apply a few drops upon the corn or callus. Instantly it begins to act, then shortly you lift that bothersome corn or callus right off, root and all, without one bit of pain or soreness. Truly No humbug!

## Americans Interested In Western Lands

### New York Financial Houses Investigate Lethbridge Irrigation Project

Investigation of the Lethbridge Northern Irrigation Project by two New York financial houses of high standing, will be undertaken in the immediate future with a view to purchasing the bonds of the irrigation district, it was asserted by L. M. Roberts, a leading barrister, on his return to Calgary from New York. Mr. Roberts, who some time ago obtained an open option for the purchase of the bonds, went to New York in this connection. He anticipates that the inquiry into the irrigation undertaking by engineers sent out by the financial houses will take place in June. The action of his option does not affect his interest in the rights of the irrigation district to buy any other arrangements for the sale of the bonds which they may desire, and in the event of a definite offer being made the district will have the right to accept or refuse.

Relief from this condition is obtained by the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills.



## Pains About the Heart

ANY derangement of the heart's action is alarming. Frequently pains about the heart are caused by the formation of gas arising from indigestion.

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## Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills

**New Building Material**  
Experiments are being carried on in building houses from marble dust and sandwust at Vancouver. It has been claimed that the cost of the house in construction will be six cents a foot in place of 60 cents a foot for ordinary building materials. The new material is claimed to be durable and take a high polish.

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## Strangers to Truth

The preacher announced that next Sunday his subject would be "Liar" and that he would be very glad if during the week, they would read the 17th chapter of Romans for themselves.

The next Sunday the preacher commented by reminiscing his hearers of the regret he had made, and asked all those who had read the 17th chapter of Romans to stand up. To his astonishment half the congregation stood up.

"Thank you very much," said the preacher, "now it is to you I want to speak today, because there is no 17th chapter of Romans!"

## NOURISHING FOOD AND GOOD HOURS

### Help You To Resist Disease — Aid These With a Tonic to Keep The Blood Pure

The power of your body to resist disease and to fight it after disease gets a foothold, is one of the most important qualities you have. Let weaken the power of the blood to let your general health run down, your blood gets thin and your nerves are strained.

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## Bee Culture is Profitable in Alberta

### Edmonton Apistar Proves That Bee Keeping is Profitable

Bees have proved themselves not only adaptable to the climate of Western Canada, but very profitable to raise as a side line, and as an example of this, the experience of Mr. William Wensel, of Edmonton, may be given. Mr. Wensel has been keeping bees for the last six years. The returns he has obtained from them go to show that they can be reared economically, and that the honey produced is fully equal to any of the imported variety.

Mr. Wensel started with a foundation swarm of mixed bees. By using only well bred queens, which he imported from Tennessee, he managed, within a few years to so improve his swarm that he had an almost pure strain of Italian bees. He keeps from five to fifteen hives of bees, disposing of the increase in the spring or fall.

From the standpoint of profit and prolificness, bees can hardly be equalled by any other member of the animal or insect family producing food for human consumption. In the spring of 1918 Mr. Wensel had nine hives and these were in very good condition. During the summer the nine hives increased to 21, and honey produced, less the amount left for winter feed, was eight hundred and twenty-seven pounds. The honey sells at from 35 to 40 cents per pound. In 1918 the record of production from the apairy was 100 lbs. per hive, or, at 40 cents per pound, \$40 worth of honey per hive.

Bees require very little attention in Western Canada. With a clover or alfalfa field in the neighborhood and supplied with sufficient comb and suitable hives, they will practically look after themselves for the whole summer.

In the fall the hives containing the bees are either stored in a cellar or left out in the open. If the bees are left outside, a box large enough to cover the hive and leave space of about four inches on all sides is set over the hive and the space filled with chaff. An opening, however, is always provided. It has been found that when the hive is plugged up the bees will come to where the opening is and work until they die in their attempt to get out. On the other hand, when there is an opening they never go out unless on very bright sunny days.

Mr. Wensel's experience goes to show that it is better to winter the bees outside. They are not only more active and start to work earlier in the spring, but seem to be in far better health. However, if the bees are kept in a cellar over the winter it has been found best to take them out about April first.

Bees come out and are ready to start their season's work as soon as the warm weather begins. The hives are then cleaned out and the frames and comb put into place. From then on they require no attention until they start to swarm towards the end of May. As this season of June, begins this swarm of the season, because if put in a hive of its own, may hatch out a second swarm. One season use of Mr. Wensel's swarms that were hatched in June produced 99 pounds of honey the same season.

It is the practice to take out some honey and put on a super with a queen excluded to induce honey production about the end of July. In September, all except 35 or 40 pounds of honey, which is left as winter feed, is taken out and the hives prepared for winter.

Keep Minard's Liniment in the house.

## Age of the Earth

How old the earth is can only be guessed, and it would be a bold man who would say what the best figures are save the man who puts them out. In 1860 John Phillips estimated the age of the earth at between 38,000,000 and 96,000,000 years. Considerable difference in the man's figures. C. D. Walcott considered 70,000,000 as the maximum age.

George H. Darwin has discussed the age of the earth from a purely astronomical point of view. From his theory of the earth-moon system he derived an estimate of more than 56,000,000 years.

Don't worry over lost opportunities but keep your eyes open for the next one that comes along.



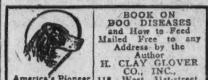
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## TO WOMEN OF MIDDLE AGE

This Woman's Letter Tells You How To Pass The Crisis Safely.

Laccelles, P.Q.—"During the Change of Life I feel so weak and run down I cannot hardly do my work. The perspiration and sweat are in fact so great that I couldn't see what I was doing. We live on a farm, so there is lots to do, but when we are hot we don't like to be in bed. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it did me a world of good. I tried other remedies but they all failed. I told every one I knew of how much good it had done me." Mrs. DUNCAN BROWN, Laccelles, Prov. Quebec.

Such warning symptoms as sense of suffocation, hot flashes, headaches, backaches, dread of impending evil, depression, etc., are common symptoms of the change of life. The heart, spasms before the eyes, irregularities, constipation, variable appetite, weakness and dizziness are also common symptoms. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound can carry them safely through this crisis as did Mrs. Brown.

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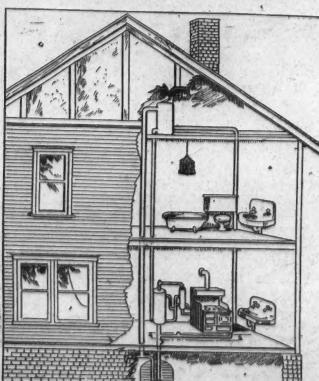
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### Local & General

There will be a Service at Rodney schoolhouse, Sunday morning, June 20th at 11 o'clock.

Special Meeting at Sunshine school house, June 20th, at 4 p.m. This being U. F. A. Sunday, a speaker is expected from the Central Office, Calgary. Everyone is welcome at this meeting.

### BIRTH

To Mr. and Mrs. A. Bailey, on Friday, June 11th, at Crossfield, a son.

Owing to a mistake the following Class was left out of the Children's Department of the Print List:—

### DOMESTIC SCIENCE.

	First	Second
1 Loaf of Bread, made with Standard Flour .....	\$2.00	\$1.00
2 School Lunches .....	2.00	1.00
3 Apron and Piece of Fancy Work from 10 to 14 years .....	2.00	1.00
4 Crocheted Yoko and Knitted Sleeveless Sweater, from 10 to 14 years .....	2.00	1.00
5 Hand Stitched Handkerchief and piece of Fancy Work, under 10 years .....	2.00	1.00
6 Dressed Doll .....	2.00	1.00
7 Crocheted Bag .....	2.00	1.00

### Big Fire in Crossfield

#### Elevator Burned Down

This morning (Thursday) the slumbers of our village were brought to sudden惊醒 by the vigorous clanging of the fire bell. Mr. Chisholm on arising at 5 a.m. noticed heavy smoke coming from the south elevator of the Alberta Pacific Grain Co. She awakened her husband who sounded the fire alarm. The two mechanical engines were rushed to the spot but the fire must have been burning for some time as the interior of the building was well alight and the contents of the engines were reserved for emergency. Luckily for the town the wind was blowing from the north west which kept the flames from spreading, a watchful eye was kept on the stockyards and the adjacent grain elevators. The contents of one engine were poured over the nearest elevator. One corner of the series at the stockyards was noticed to start burning but a few pails of water soon extinguished that. In a very short time the entire building was a mass of ruins. The fire spread with great rapidity. R. W. McFarlane the elevator operator was quickly on the spot, also an Inspector who had been checking up the contents of the elevator on Wednesday. We are informed that there were about 5,300 bushels of grain in the elevator which was all destroyed. The grain and elevator is covered by insurance. The cause of the outbreak is unknown.

### The Raising of Sheep

In introducing the estimates for his department to the House of Commons the Hon. Dr. Tolmie, Dominion Minister of Agriculture, pointed to the fact that in Australia there were fewer than 80,000 sheep, in the United States 60,000,000, in Great Britain 27,000,000, and in Canada only 3,500,000. As shown in the Agricultural Gazette of Canada for May efforts are being made in all the Provinces to remedy this state of things. That is to say encouragement is being given to the raising of sheep in a variety of ways, by pure-bred rams being distributed or sold on easy terms, by the holding of competitions, at which generous prizes are given for the best ewes and for the best lambs, by obtaining the highest prices for the carcasses, through the Departments, and through the Canadian Co-operative Wool Growers' Association, by holding sheep sales, and, as Ontario in particular, by placing flocks on a share basis. Amended legislation has also been passed for the protection of sheep from dogs. As a sample of the good work that is being performed it might be mentioned that in Saskatchewan in the last four years the amount of wool consigned to the co-operative branch of the Provincial Department of Agriculture increased from 179,000,000 pounds, to 69,404 pounds, for which the average price realized was 17% cents, to 915,000,000 pounds, or 304,000 pounds, at an average price of 61½ cents per pound. The articles in the Gazette would imply that what has been done in Saskatchewan is accomplished in the other Provinces of the Dominion.

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Carstairs	June 22 July 9	" 29	JUNE 8 LEAGUE	June 1 " 15
Didsbury	June 4 " 18	June 22 July 9	June 11 July 2	June 11 July 2

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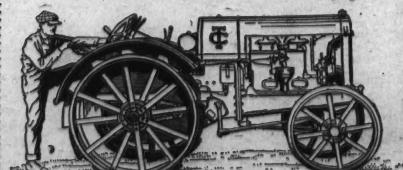
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